

# Teaching Pragmatics



## Video Transcript

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### Student Refuses an Invitation from a Professor – “I’m not into that stuff”- Scene 01

- Professor:** So, I think, uh... you know how to approach your next draft.
- Student:** Yeah, I got it.  
I got it.
- Professor:** Ok. Well, it was nice talking with you.
- Student:** Right.  
Nice talking with you too.
- Professor:** Oh! Graham, wait a second!
- Student:** Yeah.
- Professor:** Uhm... I was wondering, you know,  
Professor Thompson is... is coming to campus... uhm... tomorrow... and,  
you know, she...we read a couple of her articles...
- Student:** Oh, yeah, yeah, I remember that. Yeah.
- Professor:** Yeah, so, she’s going to give a lecture at, uh... 11, and I thought you  
might like to go. It’s on Shakespeare’s metaphors. It’d be really useful  
for your paper.
- Student:** Oh, no, I’m not... I’m not into that.  
I’m not into that stuff.
- Professor:** Ok...
- Student:** Yeah...
- Professor:** Uh... Alright. Ok.
- Student:** Yeah... Bye.
- Professor:** Bye.